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Dear Mr. Grimly and Ms. Autry:

In response to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Mercury Information Collection Request for electric utilities, mercury speciation stack testing at Kansas City Power & Light Company (KCPL), La Cygne Generating Station, Unit Number 1 were conducted on November 16, 17, and 18, 1999.

I am enclosing three copies of the final test report (two bound and one unbound) prepared by METCO Environmental. If there are any questions regarding this report please feel free to contact me, or the individuals listed on page 1-2 of the report.

Sincerely

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SOURCE EMISSIONS SURVEY
OF
KANSAS CITY POWER & LIGHT COMPANY
LA CYGNE GENERATING STATION
UNIT NUMBER 1 SCRUBBER A INLET DUCT
AND UNIT NUMBER 1 STACK
LA CYGNE, KANSAS
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1 INTRODUCTION

1.1 Summary of Test Program

METCO Environmental, Dallas, Texas, conducted a source emissions survey of Kansas City Power & Light Company, La Cygne Generating Station, located in La Cygne, Kansas, for the Electric Power Research Institute, on November 16, 17, and 18, 1999. The purpose of these tests was to meet the requirements of the EPA Mercury Information Request. Speciated mercury concentrations at the Unit Number 1 Scrubber A Inlet Duct, speciated mercury emissions at the Unit Number 1 Stack, and mercury and chlorine content of the fuel were determined. The sulfur, ash, and Btu content of the fuel were also determined.

The sampling followed the procedures set forth in the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 40, Chapter I, Part 60, Appendix A, Methods 1, 2, 3B, 4, 5, 17, and 19; in the Ontario Hydro Method, Revised July 7, 1999; and ASTM Methods D2234, D6414-99, E776/300.0, D-4239, D-3174, and D-3286.

1.2 Key personnel

Mr. Bill Hefley of METCO Environmental was the onsite project manager. Mr. Shane Lee, Mr. Mike Bass, Mr. Jason Conway, Mr. Scott Hart, and Mr. Jason Brown of METCO Environmental performed the testing.

Mr. Russell Miller of Kansas City Power & Light Company acted as the utility representative and performed process monitoring and sampling.

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Mr. Paul Chu was the Electric Power Research Institute project manager.

Table 1-1 Test Program Organization

Organization	Individual	Responsibility	Phone Number
Project Team METCO	Bill Hefley	Project Manager	(972) 931-7127
<i>Utility</i> K.C.P.&L.	Russell Miller	Utility Representative & Process Monitoring	(913) 757-4451
QA/QC EPRI	Paul Chu	Project Manager	(650) 855-2812



2 SOURCE AND SAMPLING LOCATION DESCRIPTIONS

2.1 Process Description

La Cygne Unit Number 1 is a B & W eighteen cyclone-fired, supercritical, once-through, balanced-draft unit. Each cyclone burns 20 – 25 tons per hour at 750 megawatts. The boiler is designed to operate at 6,193,184 pounds of steam per hour at 1,010 °F and 3,825 psig at the superheater outlet. Combustion air is heated using two horizontal shaft Ljungstrom regenerative air heaters.

The firebox size is 33 feet by 78 feet by 188 feet tall. A wet limestone scrubber is utilized for air quality control.

Steam is supplied to a Westinghouse tandem compound, 3,800 RPM, four flow, twenty-eight and one-half inch last-stage blading, hydrogen-cooled turbine-generator that operates at 3,500 psig throttle pressure and 1.2 million horsepower. There are seven steam extractions.

The design gross capacity of the unit is 944 megawatts. It has been derated to 750 gross megawatts due to the air quality control equipment and associated modifications.

Unit Number 1 went into commercial operation in the spring of 1973.

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2.2 Control Equipment Description

The air quality control system was one of the utility industry's first generation systems developed for the environmentally safe burning of low grade, high sulfur coal.

The system consists of eight B & W wet limestone, two stage, venturi-absorber scrubber modules. Each module has a gas flow capacity of 400,000 cubic feet per minute. A minimum of seven modules is required for full load operation.

2.3 Flue Gas and Process Sampling Locations

2.3.1 Inlet Sampling Location

The sampling location on the Unit Number 1 Scrubber A Inlet Duct is 83 feet above the ground. The sampling locations are located 4 feet 2 inches (0.38 equivalent duct diameters) downstream from a bend in the duct and 4 feet 9 inches (0.44 equivalent duct diameters) upstream from a bend in the duct.

2.3.2 Stack Sampling Location

The sampling location on the Unit Number 1 Stack is 285 feet above the ground. The sampling locations are located 221 feet (9.89 stack diameters) downstream from the inlet to the stack and 413 feet (18.49 stack diameters) upstream from the outlet of the stack.

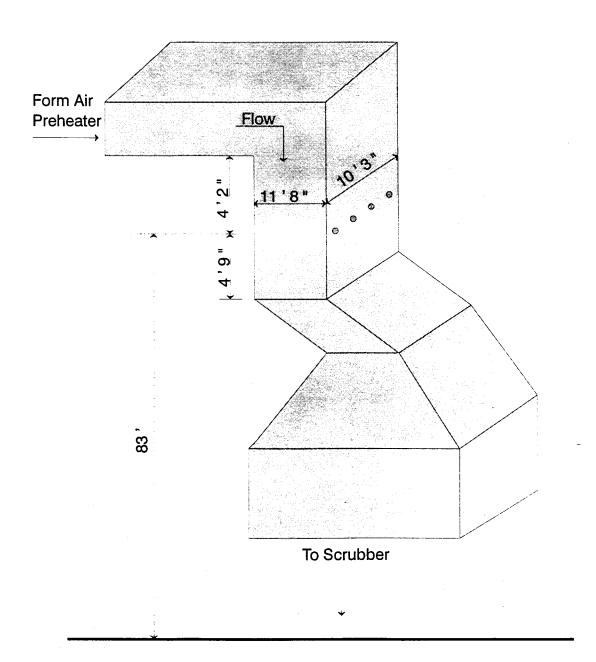
2.3.3 Coal Sampling Location

The coal sampling locations are located at the inlet of each individual feeder.

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Figure 2-1
Description of sampling locations at La Cygne Unit Number 1 Scrubber A Inlet
Duct



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Figure 2-2
Description of sampling points at La Cygne Unit Number 1 Scrubber A Inlet Duct

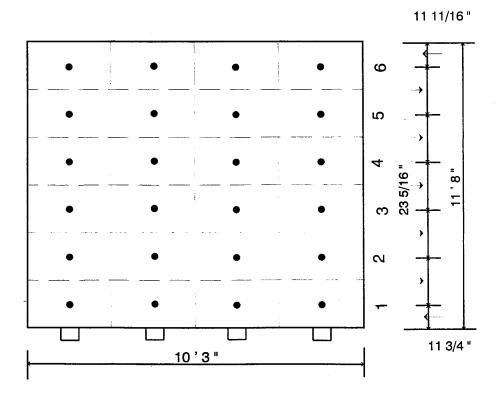




Figure 2-3
Description of sampling locations at La Cygne Unit Number 1 Stack

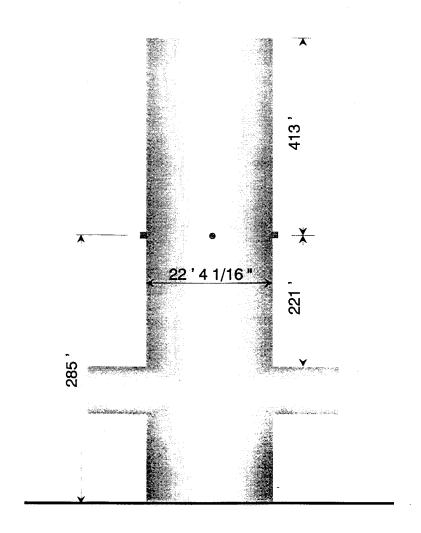
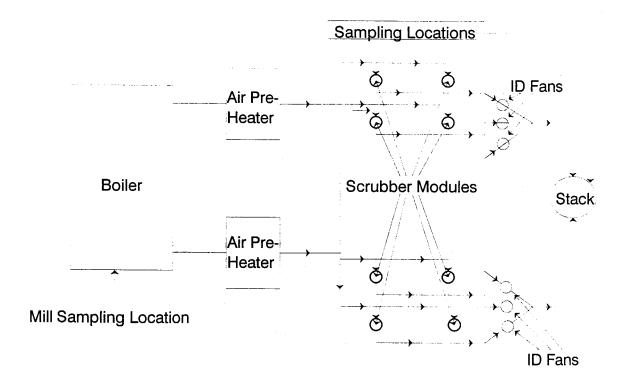




Figure 2-4 Description of sampling points at La Cygne Unit Number 1 Stack D В Distance Point* from Wall 11 13/16 " 39 1/8 " 2 79 3/8 " *Calculated as one-half of a six point traverse. 2-6 99-95LAC1



Figure 2-5
Description of coal feeder sampling locations at La Cygne Unit Number 1





3 SUMMARY AND DISCUSSION OF RESULTS

3.1 Objectives and Test Matrix

3.1.1 Objective

The objective of the tests was to collect the information and measurements required by the EPA Mercury ICR. Specific objectives listed in order of priority are:

- 1. Quantify speciated mercury emissions at the stack.
- 2. Quantify speciated mercury concentrations in the flue gas at the inlet.
- 3. Quantify fuel mercury and chlorine content during the stack and inlet tests.
- 4. Provide the above information for use in developing boiler, fuel, and specific control device mercury emission factors.

3.1.2 Test Matrix

The test matrix is presented in Table 1. The table includes a list of test methods to be used. In addition to speciated mercury, the flue gas measurements include moisture, flue gas flow rates, carbon dioxide, and oxygen.



Table 3-1 Test Matrix for Mercury ICR Tests at La Cygne Unit Number 1

Sampling Location	No. of Runs	Species Measured	Sampling Method	Sample Run Time	Analytical Method	Analytical Laboratory
Stack	3	Speciated Hg	Ontario Hydro	120 min	Ontario Hydro	TestAmerica
Stack	3	Moisture	EPA 4	Concurrent	Gravimetric	METCO
Stack	3	Flue Gas Flow	EPA 1 & 2	Concurrent	Pitot Traverse	METCO
Stack	3	O ₂ & CO ₂	EPA 3B	Concurrent	Orsat	METCO
Inlet A	3	Speciated Hg	Ontario Hydro	120 min	Ontario Hydro	Test America
Inlet A	3	Moisture	EPA 4	Concurrent	Gravimetric	METCO
Inlet A	3	Flue Gas Flow	EPA 1 & 2	Concurrent	Pitot Traverse	METCO
Inlet A	3	O ₂ & CO ₂	EPA 3B	Concurrent	Orsat	METCO
Mill	3	Hg, Cl, Sulfur, Ash, and Btu/lb in coal	ASTM D2234	1 grab sample every 30-minutes per mill per run	ASTM D6414- 99 (Hg), ASTM D2361-95 (Cl), ASTM D-0516 (S), ASTM D- 3174 (Ash), and ASTM D-3286 (Btu/lb)	TestAmerica and Philip Services



3.2 Field Test Changes and Problems

Due to physical limitations at the stack sampling location, three points were sampled from each of the four ports for a total of twelve traverse points.

Calibration data for pitot tube #19-12-1 for November, 1999, was not available. The post test calibration factor from December 13, 1999, was applied to the inlet test data.

3.3 Handling of Non-Detects

This section addresses how data will be handled in cases where no mercury is detected in an analytical fraction. It should be noted that the analytical method specified in the Ontario Hydro Method has a very low detection limit, which is expected to be well below flue gas levels for most cases if the laboratory uses normal care and state of the art analytical equipment. However, there may be cases where certain fractions of a test do not show detectable mercury levels. This section addresses how non-detects will be handled in calculating and reporting mercury levels.

3.3.1 A single analytical fraction representing a subset of a mercury species is not detected.

When more than one sample component is analyzed to determine a mercury species (such as analyzing the probe rinse and filter catch separately to determine total particulate mercury) and one fraction is not detected, it will be counted as zero. Total mercury for that species will be the sum of the detected values of the remaining fraction(s). For example, if the probe rinse had ND < 0.05 μ g and the filter had 1.5 μ g, total particulate mercury would be reported as 1.5 micrograms.



3.3.2 All fractions representing a mercury species are not detected.

If all fractions used to determine a mercury species are not detected, the total mercury for that species will be reported as not detected, at the sum of the detection limits of the individual species.

For example, if the probe rinse were not detected at 0.003 ug and the filter catch were not detected at 0.004 μ g, the reported particulate mercury would be reported as ND <0.007 μ g. This is expected to represent a small fraction (<1%) of the total mercury, even under worse case scenario of 1 μ g/Nm³.

3.3.3 No mercury is detected for a species on all three test runs.

When all three test runs show no detectable levels of mercury for a mercury species, that mercury species will be reported as not detected at less than the highest detection limit. For example, if three results for elemental mercury are ND < 0.10, ND < 0.13, and ND < 0.10, the results would be reported as ND < 0.13 (the highest of the three detection levels).

In calculating total mercury, a value of zero will be used for that species. For example, if particulate mercury were ND < 0.11 μ g, oxidized mercury were 2.0 μ g, and elemental mercury were 3.0 μ g, total mercury would be reported as 5.0 μ g.

In calculating the percentage of mercury in the other two species, a value of zero will be used. For the example listed in the preceding paragraph, the results would be reported as 0% particulate mercury, 40% oxidized mercury, and 60% elemental mercury.



3.3.4 Mercury is detected on one or two of three runs.

If mercury is detected on one or two of three runs, average mercury will be calculated as the average of the detected value(s) and half of the detection limits for the non-detect(s).

Example 1: The results for three runs are 0.20, 0.20, and ND < 0.10. The reported value would be calculated as the average of 0.20, 0.20, and 0.05, which is 0.15 μ g. Example 2: The results for three runs are 0.14, ND < 0.1, and ND < 0.1. The average of 0.14, 0.05, and 0.05 is calculated to be 0.08. Since this is below the detection limit of 0.1, the reported value is ND < 0.1.

3.4 Summary of Results

The results of the tests performed at La Cygne Unit Number 1 are listed in the following tables.



Table 3-2 La Cygne Unit Number 1 Source Emissions Results

Run Number	1	2	3
Test Date	11/17/99	11/17/99	11/18/99
Test Time	0850-1250	1415-1700	0915-1215
A Inlet Gas Properties			
Flow Rate – ACFM	449,332	436,963	432,305
Flow Rate – DSCFM*	261,825	252,206	245,770
% Water Vapor - % Vol.	10.74	10.78	10.93
CO ₂ - %	14.0	14.1	14.0
O ₂ - %	5.4	5.3	5.6
% Excess Air @ Sampling Point	34	33	36
Temperature - °F	292	291	292
Pressure – "Hg	27.72	27.43	27.10
Percent Isokinetic	104.4	101.6	101.7
Volume Dry Gas Sampled – DSCF*	59.643	55.883	54.493
Stack Gas Properties			
Flow Rate – ACFM	2,410,044	2,423,792	2,458,487
Flow Rate - DSCFM*	1,690,067	1,681,494	1,705,674
% Water Vapor - % Vol.	13.98	14.65	13.60
CO ₂ - %	12.4	12.0	12.4
O ₂ - %	7.4	7.2	6.8
% Excess Air @ Sampling Point	53	51	47
Temperature - °F	162	161	166
Pressure – "Hg	28.63	28.50	28.38
Percent Isokinetic	94.0	91.6	97.8
Volume Dry Gas Sampled – DSCF*	78.195	75.778	82.153

^{* 29.92 &}quot;Hg, 68 °F (760 mm Hg, 20 °C)



Table 3-3 La Cygne Unit Number 1 Mercury Removal Efficiency

Run Number	1	2	3	Average
Test Date	11/17/99	11/17/99	11/18/99	
Test Time	0850-1250	1415-1700	0915-1215	
Total mercury				
Inlet - lb/10 ¹² Btu	8.57	7.04	4.27	6.63
Stack - lb/10 ¹² Btu	6.27	5.33	3.70	5.10
Removal efficiency - %	26.8	24.3	13.3	23.1
Particulate mercury				
Inlet - lb/10 ¹² Btu	4.79	4.65	4.27	4.57
Stack - lb/10 ¹² Btu	0.03	0.04	0.06	0.04
Removal efficiency - %	99.4	99.1	98.6	99.1
Oxidized mercury				
Inlet - lb/10 ¹² Btu	2.85	2.38	<0.84	<1.88
Stack - lb/10 ¹² Btu	< 0.63	<0.62	<0.58	< 0.63
Removal efficiency - %	>77.9	>73.9		
Elemental mercury				
Inlet - lb/10 ¹² Btu	0.93	<0.85	<0.88	<0.60
Stack - lb/10 ¹² Btu	6.24	5.29	3.64	5.06
Removal efficiency - %				



Table 3-4 La Cygne Unit Number 1 Mercury Speciation Results

Run Number	1	2	3	Average
Test Date	11/17/99	11/17/99	11/18/99	
Test Time	0850-1250	1415-1700	0915-1215	
South Inlet Mercury Speciation				
Particulate mercury – µg	9.82	9.00	7.90	
μg/dscm	5.81	5.69	5.12	5.54
lbs/10 ¹² Btu	4.79	4.65	4.27	4.57
% of total Hg	55.9	66.1	100.0	68.9
Oxidized mercury – µg	5.84	4.61	<1.56	
μg/dscm	3.46	2.91	<1.01	<2.29
lbs/10 ¹² Btu	2.85	2.38	<0.84	<1.88
% of total Hg	33.3	33.8	0.0	
Elemental mercury - µg	1.91	<1.65	<1.62	
μg/dscm	1.13	<1.04	<1.04	<0.72
lbs/10 ¹² Btu	0.93	<0.85	<0.88	<0.60
% of total Hg	10.9	0.0	0.0	
Total mercury – μg	17.57	13.61	7.90	
µg/dscm	10.40	8.60	5.12	8.04
lbs/10 ¹² Btu	8.57	7.04	4.27	6.63
South Stack Mercury Speciation				0.00
Particulate mercury – µg	0.07	0.09	0.16	
µg/dscm	0.03	0.04	0.07	0.05
lbs/10 ¹² Btu	0.03	0.04	0.06	0.04
% of total Hg	0.5	0.8	1.6	0.8
Oxidized mercury – µg	<1.48	<1.42	<1.48	1
ug/dscm	<0.67	<0.66	<0.64	<0.67
lbs/10 ¹² Btu	< 0.63	<0.62	<0.58	<0.63
% of total Hg	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Elemental mercury - µg	14.62	12.18	9.36	
µg/dscm	6.60	5.68	4.02	5.43
lbs/10 ¹² Btu	6.24	5.29	3.64	5.06
% of total Hg	99.5	99.2	98.4	99.2
Total mercury – µg	14.69	12.27	9.52	
µg/dscm	6.63	5.72	4.09	5.48
lbs/10 ¹² Btu	6.27	5.33	3.70	5.10
Coal Analysis			3.7	00
Mercury – ppm dry	0.110	0.102	0.098	0.103
Mercury - lbs/10 ¹² Btu	12.57	11.55	10.80	11.64
Chlorine – ppm dry	300	300	300	300
Moisture - %	25.5	24.7	23.4	24.5
Sulfur - % dry	1.22	1.31	1.20	1.24
Ash - % dry	11.4	11.7	10.8	11.3
HHV - Btu/lb as fired	8,790	8.840	9,040	8,890
Coal flow – lbs/hr as fired	859,600	812,600	819,200	830,467
Total Heat Input – 108 Btu/hr	7,555.9	7,183.4	7,405.6	7,381.6
Total Mercury Mass Rates	1,000.0	7,100.1	1,100.0	1 .,000
lbs/hr input in coal	0.095	0.083	0.080	0.086
lbs/hr at FGD inlet	0.065	0.051	0.032	0.049
lbs/hr emitted	0.047	0.038	0.027	0.037



Table 3-5 La Cygne Unit Number 1 Process Data

Run Number	1	2	3
Test Date	11/17/99	11/17/99	11/18/99
Test Time	0850-1250	1415-1700	0915-1215
Unit Operation			
Unit Load - MW gross	712.22	707.50	721.91
Cyclones in Service	18	18	18
Coal Flow - tons/hr	429.8	406.3	409.6
CEMS data			
CO ₂ - %	9.74	10.05	10.26
SO ₂ – Ibs/10 ⁶ Btu	0.357	0.366	0.427
NO _x – lbs/10 ⁶ Btu	1.312	1.305	1.268
Stack Temperature - °F (mp_A_35)	166.17	167.22	166.98
Stack Temperature - °F (mp B 35)	175.14	176.13	175.42
Stack flow - kscfm	2,155.00	2,044.88	2,023.88
FGD data			
"A" Side Air Heater Outlet			
Gas Temperature - °F	641	639	636
"A" Module pH	5.70	5.70	5.77
Scrubber Outlet Pressure – " H ₂ O	42.6	40.0	39.7

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4 SAMPLING AND ANALYTICAL PROCEDURES

4.1 Emission Test Methods

The sampling followed the procedures set forth in the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 40, Chapter I, Part 60, Appendix A, Methods 1, 2, 3B, 4, 5, 17, and 19; in the Ontario Hydro Method, Revised July 7, 1999 and ASTM Methods D2234, D6414-99, E776/300.0, D-4239, D-3174, and D-3286.

A preliminary velocity traverse was made at each of the four ports on the Unit Number 1 Scrubber A Inlet Duct, in order to determine the uniformity and magnitude of the flow prior to testing. All traverse points were checked for cyclonic flow and the average angle was equal to 2.0 degrees. Alternate procedures would be required if the angle of cyclonic flow were greater than 20 degrees. Six traverse points were sampled from each of the four ports for a total of twenty-four traverse points at the inlet duct sampling location.

A preliminary velocity traverse was made at each of the four ports on the Unit Number 4 South Stack, in order to determine the uniformity and magnitude of the flow prior to testing. All traverse points were checked for cyclonic flow and the average angle was equal to 7.0 degrees. Alternate procedures would be required if the angle of cyclonic flow were greater than 20 degrees. Three traverse points were sampled from each of the four ports for a total of twelve traverse points at the stack sampling location.

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The sampling trains were leak-checked at the end of the nozzle at 15 inches of mercury vacuum before each test, and again after each test at the highest vacuum reading recorded during each test. This was done to predetermine the possibility of a diluted sample.

The pitot tube lines were checked for leaks before and after each test under both a vacuum and a pressure. The lines were also checked for clearance and the manometer was zeroed before each test.

Integrated orsat samples were collected and analyzed according to EPA Method 3B during each test.

4.1.1 Mercury

Triplicate samples for mercury were collected. The samples were taken according to EPA Methods 1, 2, 3B, 4, 5 and 17; and the Ontario Hydro Method, Revised July 7, 1999. For each run at the inlet sampling location, samples of five-minute duration were taken isokinetically at each of the twenty-four traverse points for a total sampling time of 120 minutes. For each run at the stack sampling location, samples of ten-minute duration were taken isokinetically at each of the twelve sampling points for a total sampling time of 120 minutes. Data was recorded at five-minute intervals. Reagent blanks and field blanks were submitted.

The "front-half" of the sampling train at the inlet sampling location contained the following components:

Teflon Coated Nozzle In-stack Quartz Fiber Thimble and Backup Filter and Teflon Coated Support Heated Glass Probe @ > 248°F

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The "front-half" of the sampling train at the stack sampling location contained the following components:

Teflon Coated Nozzle Heated Glass Probe @ > 248°F Heated Quartz Fiber Filter and Teflon Support @ > 248°F

The "back-half" of the sampling train at both sampling locations contained the following components:

Impinger <u>Number</u> 1	Impinger <u>Type</u> Modified Design	Impinger <u>Contents</u> 1 mol/L KCL	Amount 100 ml	Parameter <u>Collected</u> Oxidized Mercury and Moisture
2	Modified Design	1 mol/L KCL	100 ml	Oxidized Mercury and Moisture
3	Greenburg-Smith Design	1 mol/L KCL	100 ml	Oxidized Mercury and Moisture
4	Modified Design	5% HNO₃ and 10% H₂O₂	100 ml	Elemental Mercury and Moisture
5	Modified Design	4% KMnO₄ and 10% H₂SO₄	100 ml	Elemental Mercury and Moisture
6	Modified Design	4% KMnO₄ and 10% H₂SO₄	100 ml	Elemental Mercury and Moisture
7	Greenburg-Smith Design	4% KMnO₄ and 10% H₂SO₄	100 ml	Elemental Mercury and Moisture
8	Modified Design	Silica	200 g	Moisture
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All glassware was cleaned prior to use according to the guidelines outlined in EPA Method 29, Section 5.1.1 and the Ontario Hydro Method, Revised July 7, 1999, Section 13.2.15. All glassware connections were sealed with Teflon tape.

At the conclusion of each test, the filter and impinger contents were recovered according to procedures outlined in the Ontario Hydro Method, Revised July 7, 1999, Section 13.2.

Mercury samples were analyzed by Cold Vapor Atomic Absorption and Fluorescence Spectroscopy.

4.2 Process Test Methods

ASTM D2234 method of coal sampling was followed. For each test run, a grab sample of coal was collected from the inlet of each individual feeder. One composite sample was prepared for analysis from the individual feeder samples. Each sample was analyzed for mercury, chlorine, sulfur, ash, and Btu content by ASTM Methods D6414-99, E766/300.0, D-4239, D-3174, and D-3286, respectively.

4.3 Sample Tracking and Custody

Samples and reagents were maintained in limited access, locked storage at all times prior to the test dates. While on site, they were at an attended location or in an area with limited access. Off site, METCO and TestAmerica provided limited access, locked storage areas for maintaining custody.

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Chain of custody forms are located in Appendix F. The chain of custody forms will provide a detailed record of custody during sampling, with the initials noted of the individuals who load and recover impingers and filters and perform probe rinses.

All samples were packed and shipped in accordance with regulations for hazardous substances.

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5 QA/QC ACTIVITIES

The major project quality control checks are listed in Table 5-1. Matrix Spike Summaries are listed in Table 5-2. Duplicate and Triplicate Analyses Summaries are listed in Table 5-3. Additional method-specific QC checks are presented in Table 5-4 (Methods 1 and 2), Table 5-5 (Method 5/17 sampling), and Table 5-6 (Ontario Hydro sample recovery and analysis). These tables also include calibration frequency and specifications.

Table 5-1
Major Project Quality Control Checks

QC Check	Information Provided	Results
Blanks		
Reagent blank	Bias from contaminated reagent	No Mercury was detected
Field blank	Bias from handling and glassware	No Mercury was detected
Spikes		
Matrix spike	Analytical bias	Sample results were between 75% - 125% recovery
Replicates		
Duplicate analyses	Analytical precision	Results were < 10% RPD
Triplicate analyses	Analytical precision	Results were < 10% RPD

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Table 5-2 Matrix Spike Summary

Sampling	Run		Results	True Value	Recovery
Location	Number	Container	(ug)	(ug)	(%)
Inlet Duct	1	1B	0.0615	0.050	123
Inlet Duct	1	3	8.01	8.10	99
Inlet Duct	2	2	1.21	1.10	110
Inlet Duct	2	5	5.15	4.60	112
Inlet Duct	3	5	4.89	4.70	104
Stack	3	1A	0.0385	0.050	77
Stack	3	4	2.36	2.80	84



Table 5-3
Duplicate and Triplicate Analyses Summary

				Duplicate		Triplicate	
Sampling	Run		Results	Results		, Results	
Location	Number	Container	(ug)	(ug)	RPD	(ug)	RPD
A Inlet Duct	1	1A	9.82	10.01	1.8		
		1B	<0.010	<0.010	0		
		2	<0.260	<0.260	0		
		3	5.84	5.59	4.4		
		4	<0.600	< 0.600	0		
		5	1.91	1.89	1.3		
	2	1A	9.00	9.22	2.4		
		1B	<0.010	<0.010	0		
		2	<0.220	<0.220	Ö		
		3	4.61	4.56	1.2		
		4	<0.720	<0.720	0		
		5	<0.930	<0.930	Ō		
	3	1A	7.90	7.91	<1.0		
		1B	<0.010	<0.010	0		
		2	<0.200	<0.200	Ö		
		3	<1.56	<1.56	Ö		
		4	< 0.680	< 0.680	Ō	<0.680	0
		5	<0.940	<0.940	0		
Stack	1	1A	0.070	0.067	<1.0		
		2	<0.450	<0.450	0	<0.450	0
		3	<1.48	<1.48	0		
		4	<0.740	< 0.740	0		
		5	14.62	14.53	<1.0	14.72	<1.0
	2	1A	0.087	0.086	<1.0		
		2	<0.240	<0.240	0		
		3	<1.42	<1.42	Ō		
		4	<0.640	< 0.640	0		
	-	5	12.18	12.23	<1.0	12.38	1.6
	3	1A (QH59)	0.088	0.087	1.7		
		1A (QH60)	0.072	0.070	2.9		
		`2	< 0.420	< 0.420	0		
		3	<1.48	<1.48	Ō		
		4	< 0.560	< 0.560	Ō		
		5	9.36	9.23	1.6		



Table 5-4 QC Checklist and Limits for Methods 1 and 2

Quality Control Activity	Acceptance Criteria and Frequency	Reference
Measurement site evaluation	>2 diameters downstream and 0.5 diameters upstream of disturbances	Method 1, Section 2.1
Pitot tube inspection	Inspect each use for damage, once per program for design tolerances	Method 2, Figures 2-2 and 2-3
Thermocouple	+/- 1.5% (°R) of ASTM thermometer, before and after each test mobilization	Method 2, Section 4.3
Barometer	Calibrate each program vs. mercury barometer or vs. weather station with altitude correction	Method 2, Section 4.4

Although the Unit Number 1 Scrubber A Inlet Duct sampling location does not meet the requirements of Method 1, three-dimensional flow testing as described in Method 1 was not performed. A preliminary velocity traverse was made at each of the four ports on the Unit Number 1 Scrubber A Inlet Duct, in order to determine the uniformity and magnitude of the flow prior to testing. All traverse points were checked for cyclonic flow and the average angle was equal to 2.0 degrees.

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Table 5-5 QC Checklist and Limits for Method 5/17 Sampling

Quality Control Activity	Acceptance Criteria and Frequency	Reference	
Pre-mobilization checks			
Gas meter/orifice check	Before test series, Y _D +/- 5% (of original Y _D)	Method 5, Section 5.3	
Probe heating system	Continuity and resistance check on element		
Nozzles	Note number, size, material		
Glassware	Inspect for cleanliness, compatibility		
Thermocouples	Same as Method 2		
On-site pre-test checks			
Nozzle	Measure inner diameter before first run	Method 5, Section 5.1	
Probe heater	Confirm ability to reach temperature		
Pitot tube leak check	No leakage	Method 2, Section 3.1	
Visible inspection of train	Confirm cleanliness, proper assembly		
Sample train leak check	≤0.02 cf at 15" Hg vacuum	Method 5, Section 4.1.4	
During testing			
Probe and filter temperature	Monitor and confirm proper operation		
Manometer	Check level and zero periodically		
Nozzle	Inspect for damage or contamination after each traverse	Method 5, Section 5.1	
Probe/nozzle orientation	Confirm at each point		
Post test checks			
Sample train leak check	≤0.02 cf at highest vacuum achieved during test	Method 5, Section 4.1.4	
Pitot tube leak check	No leakage	Method 2, Section 3.1	
Isokinetic ratio	Calculate, must be 90-110%	Method 5, Section 6	
Dry gas meter calibration check	After test series, Y _D +/- 5%	Method 5, Section 5.3	
Thermocouples	Same as Method 2		
Barometer	Compare w/ standard, +/- 0.1" Hg		

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Table 5-6 QC Checklist and Limits for Ontario Hydro Mercury Speciation

Quality Control Activity	Acceptance Criteria and Frequency	Reference
Pre-mobilization activities Reagent grade Water purity Sample filters Glassware cleaning	ACS reagent grade ASTM Type II, Specification D 1193 Quartz; analyze blank for Hg before test As described in Method	Ontario Hydro Section 8.1 Ontario Hydro Section 8.2 Ontario Hydro Section 8.4.3 Ontario Hydro Section 8.10
On-site pre-test activities Determine SO ₂ concentration	If >2500 ppm, add more HNO ₃ -H ₂ O ₂	Ontario Hydro Section 13.1.13
Prepare KCI solution Prepare HNO ₃ -H ₂ O ₂ solution Prepare H ₂ SO ₄ -KMnO ₄ solution	solution Prepare batch as needed Prepare batch as needed Prepare daily	Ontario Hydro Section 8.5 Ontario Hydro Section 8.5 Ontario Hydro Section 8.5
Prepare HNO ₃ rinse solution	Prepare batch as needed; can be purchased premixed	Ontario Hydro Section 8.6
Prepare hydroxylamine solution		Ontario Hydro Section 8.6
Sample recovery activities Brushes and recovery materials Check for KMnO ₄ Depletion	No metallic material allowed If purple color lost in first two impingers, repeat test with more HNO ₃ -H ₂ O ₂ solution	Ontario Hydro Section 13.2.6 Ontario Hydro Section 13.1.13
Probe cleaning Impinger 1,2,3 recovery.	Move probe to clean area before cleaning After rinsing, add permanganate until purple color remains to assure Hg retention	Ontario Hydro Section 13.2.1 Ontario Hydro Section 13.2.8
Impinger 5,6,7 recovery.	If deposits remain after HNO₃ rinse, rinse with hydroxylamine sulfate. If purple color disappears after hydroxylamine sulfate rinse,	Ontario Hydro Section 13.2.10
Impinger 8	add more permangante until color returns Note color of silica gel; if spent, regenerate or dispose.	Ontario Hydro Section 13.2.11
Blank samples		
0.1 N HNO ₃ rinse solution KCI solution HNO ₃ -H ₂ O ₂ solution H ₂ SO ₄ -KMnO ₄ solution Hydroxylamine sulfate solution Unused filters	One reagent blank per batch. Three from same lot.	Ontario Hydro Section 13.2.12 Ontario Hydro Section 13.2.12
Field blanks	One per set of tests at each test location.	Ontario Hydro Section 13.4.1
Laboratory activities Assess reagent blank levels	Target <10% of sample value or <10x	Ontario Hydro Section 13.4.1
Assess field blank levels	instrument detection limit. Subtract as allowed. Compare to sample results. If greater than reagent blanks or greater than 30% of sample values,	Ontario Hydro Section 13.4.1
Duplicate/triplicate samples	investigate. Subtraction of field blanks not allowed. All CVAAS runs in duplicate; every tenth run in triplicate. All samples must be within 10% of each other; if not, recalibrate and reanalyze.	Ontario Hydro Section 13.4.1



6 DESCRIPTION OF TESTS

Personnel from METCO Environmental arrived at the plant at 1:00 p.m. on Tuesday, November 16, 1999. After meeting with plant personnel and attending a brief safety meeting, the equipment was moved onto the Unit Number 1 Scrubber A Inlet Duct and Unit Number 1 Stack. The preliminary data was collected. The equipment was secured for the night. All work was completed at 6:30 p.m.

On Wednesday, November 17, work began at 6:45 a.m. The equipment was prepared for testing. The first set of tests for mercury began at 8:50 a.m. Testing continued until the completion of the second set of tests at 5:00 p.m. The samples were recovered. The equipment was secured for the night. All work was completed at 6:30 p.m.

On Thursday, November 18, work began at 6:45 a.m. The equipment was prepared for testing. The third set of tests for mercury began at 9:15 a.m. and was completed at 12:15 p.m.

The samples were recovered. The equipment was moved off of the sampling locations and loaded into the sampling van. The samples and the data were transported to METCO Environmental's laboratory in Dallas, Texas, for analysis and evaluation.

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Operations at Kansas City Power & Light Company, La Cygne Generating Station, Unit Number 1 Scrubber A Inlet Duct and Unit Number 1 Stack, located in La Cygne, Kansas, for the Electric Power Research Institute, were completed at 2:30 p.m. on Thursday, November 18, 1999.

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